

**REMARKS/ARGUMENTS**

Entry of the foregoing amendments is requested.

Non-elected claims have been cancelled without prejudice.

This application is submitted to be in condition for allowance and a Notice to that effect is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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